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Topic: Racism

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**Slide One**🡪 Topic

Black with Racism getting larger.

**Slide Two**🡪 Introduction

Racism has plagued this country since the beginning, and is still an issue in 2013. (SPEAK)

Video of Colored/ White changing

**Slide 3**🡪 What is Racism?

Racism is racial discrimination, which is discrimination based on a person’s race or skin color. (SPEAK)

Racism is RACIAL DISCRIMINATION (Encycopedia)

Picture of white people excluding an African American

**Slide 4**🡪 Statement 1 and Fact 1

Many people believe racism is no longer a problem… However, there are currently 1,007 known hate groups operating across the country. (SPEAK) (Southern Poverty Law Center)

Picture of Love on the top and hate on the bottom

**Slide 5**🡪 Statement 1 and Fact 1 continued

Since 2000 the number of hate groups has increased by 69 percent. (SPEAK)

This surge has been fueled by anger and fear over the nation’s ailing economy, an influx of non-white immigrants, and the diminishing white majority, as symbolized by the election of the nation’s first African-American president. (Southern Poverty Law Center)

Picture same as slide 4

**Slide 6**🡪 Statement 2 and Fact 2

Many say racism doesn’t hurt people, actually 7 out of 10 fights are racially motivated (SPEAK) (Think Quest)

Video of kids fighting

**Slide 7**🡪 Statement 3 and Fact 3

Blacks commit more crimes…Students of color face harsher punishments in school than their white peers, leading to a higher number of youth of color incarcerated. (SPEAK)

Blacks and Hispanics represents more than 70 percent of those involved in school related arrest or referrals to law enforcement. Currently African American makes up 2/5 and Hispanics 1/5 of confined youth today. (American Progress)

Picture of a person being arrested overlaid with a picture of a bunch of African Americans in prison.

**Slide 8**🡪 Statement 4 and Fact 4

Children and teens of color are imprisoned at almost three times the rate of their white counterparts – suggesting that they are often unfairly targeted for arrest and confinement.  (SPEAK) (Southern Poverty Law Center)

Video of a prison cell opening and closing

**Slide 9**🡪 Closing

Racism is still an issue today, and people need to be aware of its implications on people’s life, and how much it affects the young people of this country. (SPEAK)

Picture of an African American and white person holding hands

**Slide 10**🡪 Joining the stop racism campaign

Information about where to go to join the stop racism campaign

Picture of a shoe that looks abandoned

**Slide 11**🡪 Credits